



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 609

LCO No. 2654

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Referred to Committee on Education

Introduced by:
(ED)

AN ACT CONCERNING MANDATED REPORTERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 17a-101 of the general statutes is
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*
3 *1, 2008*):

4 (b) The following persons shall be mandated reporters: Any
5 physician or surgeon licensed under the provisions of chapter 370, any
6 resident physician or intern in any hospital in this state, whether or not
7 so licensed, any registered nurse, licensed practical nurse, medical
8 examiner, dentist, dental hygienist, psychologist, coach of intramural
9 or interscholastic athletics, school superintendent, school teacher,
10 school principal, school guidance counselor, school paraprofessional,
11 school coach, social worker, police officer, juvenile or adult probation
12 officer, juvenile or adult parole officer, member of the clergy,
13 pharmacist, physical therapist, optometrist, chiropractor, podiatrist,
14 mental health professional or physician assistant, any person who is a
15 licensed or certified emergency medical services provider, any person
16 who is a licensed or certified alcohol and drug counselor, any person
17 who is a licensed marital and family therapist, any person who is a

18 sexual assault counselor or a battered women's counselor as defined in
19 section 52-146k, any person who is a licensed professional counselor,
20 any person paid to care for a child in any public or private facility,
21 child day care center, group day care home or family day care home
22 licensed by the state, any employee of the Department of Children and
23 Families, any employee of the Department of Public Health who is
24 responsible for the licensing of child day care centers, group day care
25 homes, family day care homes or youth camps, the Child Advocate
26 and any employee of the Office of Child Advocate.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
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Section 1	<i>July 1, 2008</i>	17a-101(b)
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Statement of Purpose:

To provide that school superintendents are mandated reporters.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]